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# Open Forest Science seminar 7 May 2018

**Time and place:** 7 May 2018, House of Sciences and Letters, Kirkkokatu 6, Helsinki

**Registration deadline is 2 May 2018!**

**Why:** Forest scientists have not participated actively in the current discussion about the requirements and implications of open science. However, new requirements on openness concern the whole science community and forest scientists should take an active role in developing them. Special characteristics of forest sciences include multi-disciplinarity, long-term fieldwork and big data. In Finland, forest sciences have a special societal role because of the importance of forestry and forest industries in the national economy. Forests have a special global importance as drivers and/or mitigators of climate change. Thus, the Finnish Society of Forest Science organises a whole day seminar for discussing how we can apply open science principles for enhancing forest sciences from their own points of view and at the same avoid the associated risks?

Doctoral students of the Doctoral Programme in Sustainable Use of Renewable Natural Resources (AGFOREE) at the University of Helsinki and the Doctoral Programme in Forests and Bioresources at the University of Eastern Finland may earn part of a study credit by attending the seminar.

## Programme

9:00 – 10:00 Registration and morning coffee  
10:00 – 12:30 Invited talks

The morning plenary session may also be followed through video streaming at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7bca4D5vZ3A>. The video will be later available in the TiedeTV (ScienceTV) web service of the League of Finnish Learned Societies using the same address as for direct streaming.

10:00 – 10:05 Opening of the seminar, *Professor Jarkko Hantula, Chair of the Finnish Society of Forest Science*  
10:05 – 10:25 Introduction to open science, *Science Adviser Jyrki Hakapää, Academy of Finland*  
10:25 – 10:55 Open Access publishing, *Associate Professor Mikael Laakso, Hanken University*  
10:55 – 11:25 Transparent writing, *Associate Editor Pekka Nygren, Finnish Society of Forest Science*  
11:25 – 11:55 Pros and cons of data sharing, *Dr Pasi Kolari, University of Helsinki*  
12:00 – 12:30 Panel on morning topics and common discussion  
  
12:30 – 13:30 Lunch break (at own expense)  
  
13:30 – 14:35 Workshops (see topics below)  
14:35 – 14:55 Coffee break  
14:55 – 16:00 Workshops repeated  
16:00 – 17:00 Workshop reports and common discussion

Each participant of the seminar may attend two workshops. Each of the six workshops is repeated in the afternoon before and after the coffee break. A reporter will be elected for each workshop. The reporters will make a short presentation on the workshop discussion in the common closing event. They will also be responsible on preparing a written report on the workshops to the seminar web site.

## Workshop topics:

### How do I open my data?

Moderator *Pasi Kolari, University of Helsinki*

Topics of interest: Data repositories, best time for opening data, meta data requirements

### User perspective to open data

## Ajankohtaista

**Avoin työpaikka:**  
metatietojen laatiminen  
Silva Fennican ja Acta  
Forestalia Fennican  
arkistoille  
Apurahapäätökset 2018 -  
Grant decisions 2018  
Apurahat 2018 / Grants  
2018  
Apurahapäätökset / Grant  
decisions 2017  
Professori Eero Nikinmaan  
(1961-2017) muistolle

## Tapahtumat

Metsäbiologian kerhon  
Kevätaspektiretkeily  
9.5.2018  
Taksaattoriklubin  
vuosikokous ja  
kevätseminaari 11.4.2018  
Open Forest Science  
seminar 7 May 2018  
Kevätkokous 10.4.2018 -  
Spring meeting 10 April  
2018  
Metsänhoitoklubin  
vuosikokous ja seminaari  
5.3.2018

## Metsätieteen päivät

Metsätieteen päivä 2017  
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## 100 vuotta

Tilaa seuran 100v.  
historiateos  
Suomen Metsätieteellinen  
Seura 100 vuotta  
Hiilinielupuu

Moderator *Professor Urmäs Kõljalg, University of Tartu, Estonia*

Topics of interest: Access to databases, use of deposited data, citations to the data, data quality, communication with the creator of the data

**Value of long time series**

Moderator *Dr Anna-Lena Axelsson, Swedish University of Agricultural Science, Sweden*

Topics of interest: Old and modern national forest inventory data, open data vs open statistics, fitting old and new data together, quality of old data

**Opening of confidential data**

Moderators *Managing Director Heikki Pajuoja, Metsäteho Ltd., and Development Manager Arja Kuula-Luumi, Finnish Social Science Data Archive*

Topics of interest: Protecting privacy, anonymisation, cooperation with private sector, trade secrets

**Putting open science into practice**

Moderators *Information Specialist Marja Kokko, University of Jyväskylä, and Information Specialist Markku Roinila, University of Helsinki*

Topics of interest: Data management plan, funding for OA publishing, Creative Commons licences

**Selecting an OA journal for my manuscript**

Moderators *Mikael Laakso and Pekka Nygren*

Topics of interest: journal quality, good publisher practices, recognising questionable journals

In order to distribute interested participants to the workshops and ordering the coffee service, we ask you to register at latest on Wednesday 2 May 2018 using this link:

<https://www.webropolsurveys.com/S/27AA2C4B27CCDB2F.par>

Graduate students with the AGFOREE Doctoral Programme of the University of Helsinki who wish to earn a study credit must also fill in the [course registration form](#) in Weboodi (i.e. fill in two registrations).

Graduate students with the Doctoral Programme in Forests and Bioresources at the University of Eastern Finland must contact Marjoriitta Möttönen ([marjoriitta.mottonen \[ät\] uef.fi](mailto:marjoriitta.mottonen[at]uef.fi)) for requirements on registering a study credit.